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I. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

1. Lectures in the JOT program appear to be proceeding quite satisfactorily. I believe the teaching approach being assumed by [] has gone over well. As a result [] has continued his lectures in this same vein. [] conferred with [] and me concerning the substance of the course. As a result of these discussions we will provide [] with either outlines or transcripts of a number of the lectures and seminars of most interest to his school in order that he can emphasize and refer back to various points contained therein. Arrangements have been made for [] to return to give one of the lectures in the latter part of the program in accordance with your suggestion.

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2. The preview of the CBS television programs, "The Red Sell" was received with considerable applause by the group of seventy-five to one hundred U.S. officials. It was attended by about ten Agency people including General Cabell. The films document and analyze Soviet propaganda activities and comment, through CBS correspondents, on its effectiveness. The conclusion is that it is not only "later" but darker "than you think."

3. The presentation schedule for the [] is proceeding quite satisfactorily. Mr. Kirkpatrick arranged to have Mr. Dulles and General Cabell act as host for a luncheon for [] and several members of his staff. General [] has requested each of the lecturers to be his guest at luncheon after their respective presentations. In view of the purpose of our presentations there I alerted [] to the coming CBS television programs in order that he might call it to the attention of the []

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II. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. A request from the chief of OO to have a course in "Organization and Operations of the Communist Party" put on at [] from 5 - 29 January 1959 was accepted.

2. Commander Gorman of the Naval Intelligence School at Anacostia called to arrange for two lectures, one December 2 on "Theory and Practice of Communism" and the other on December 5 on "Soviet and Satellite Intelligence Systems." He will forward an official request. [] will handle the respective assignments.

3. [] of the FSI will be introduced to [] of ORR and [] SRS as a result of his request referred to in the last two previous Activities Reports.

4. [] NSA, who attended the last IOC asked [] about communist use of the polygraph and interrogation techniques. [] referred him to published documents such as the testimony before the Senate Internal Security Committee and a recent publication by the American Medical Association. He seemed well pleased and called back for specific citations to these sources.

5. NEA Division advised me that one of their stations has requested certain of the training materials used in our courses. A representative will call to arrange for these.

6. I attended a briefing by the [] We discussed as well the occasional overlap on area study of the USSR and the possible extension of that to Communist China. It was agreed that each course on this subject should be coordinated between the two schools.

7. SIC's next major project at the conclusion of the JOT program is to be a "cleanup" with specific reference to a vault area where a great accumulation of unnecessary and obsolete material hampers the efficient filing of up to date matter. An attempt will also be made to set up an index of what is to be kept and arrange for periodic review.

8. Tutorial Training -

There were no requests for tutorial during the period.

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